IDAHO SPEECH, HEARING AND COMMUNICATION SERVICES LICENSURE BOARD

Division of Occupational and Professional Licenses P.O. Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0063

Conference Call Minutes of 5/21/2020

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Gayle L Chaney - Chair

Barbra Osterhout Kevin C Woodall Teresa Lee Rose La Vona Andrew Cynthia K Olsen

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT: Kenneth W Nuhn

DIVISION STAFF: Dawn Hall, Deputy Division Administrator

Julie Eavenson, Licensing Group Manager

Nicholas Krema, General Counsel Rob McQuade, Legal Counsel Betsy Duncan, Board Specialist Debbie Toncray, Board Specialist

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 AM MDT by Gayle L Chaney.

LAWS AND RULES

Mr. McQuade presented the plan to review the Board's laws and make modifications to update wording. The July 9, 2020 Board meeting will be the Board's opportunity to discuss and consider necessary changes. The meeting will be by conference call.

Mr. McQuade and Ms. Andrew will work to prepare prepare changes to the regulation of sign language interpreter out-of-state registrations and deaf interpreters for the Board's consideration.

Mr. McQuade brought to the Board's attention an exemption paragraph in the current permit applications for SLPs and audiologists, and hearing aid dealer/fitters, which were not in accordance with the Board's laws and rules. Ms. Osterhout made a motion to remove them. It was seconded by Ms. Olsen. Motion carried.

BOARD BUSINESS

APPLICATIONS

Ms. Andrew made a motion to approve the following for licensure:

ADAMS KIRSTEN	SLP-4304
BALL AMANDA	SLP-4295
BINDRUP SARAH	SLP-4299
CODE GREGORY	SLP-4296
COOK CORY	AUD-4313
HILLAM JESSICA	AUD-4312
NEUHAUS BAILEY	AUD-4305
RILEY CAROLINE	SLP-4298
SAILORS BETHANY	SLP-4294
SMITH KATELYN	SLP-4303
SPEAKES EMILY	SLP-4257
TALBOY MARY	SLP-4234
RUTZ EMILY	SLP-4317

And to approve the following pending receipt of additional information and review by the designated Board member:

901174636	901174449
901174703	901174475
901174705	901069584
901174349	901174561

It was seconded Ms. Rose. Motion carried.

Ms. Hall reported to the Board that practical exams for hearing aid dealer/fitters won't be offered in the Division's conference room until Stage 4 of the Governor's reopening protocol due to COVID-19. Stage 4 is currently scheduled for July 2020. Ms. Rose offered to make the exams available as needed and said the exams could be successfully proctored using face masks.

NEXT MEETING is scheduled for <u>June 18, 2020 at 8:15 AM MDT.</u>

ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Osterhout made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 AM MDT. It was seconded by Mr. Woodall. Motion carried.